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Inventor or Application Identifier:  
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Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISTRIBUTING A TIMING  
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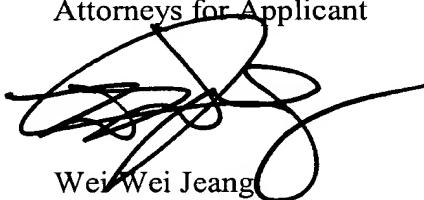
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